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### LOCAL AFFAIRS.

By our Regular and Casual Reporters  
and Correspondents.

#### A Reformed Highway.

The old "Paterson Road" is rapidly losing its ancient characteristics, within the confines of Bloomfield, and becoming worthy of the name—Broad street. The rough roadway, calling down frequent obstructions on the Town Committee from the Stone House Plains farmers and driving public generally; the cow-paths used by pedestrians, furnished in later years by an occasional stretch of cinders for the patient public to "break in," or a patch of plank walk, which, while requiring no breaking in, soon needed repairs that were so far from being a benefit that it became proverbially a "shin-breaker,"—these conditions have at length given place to what promises to be good specimens of the modern macadam roadway with a continuous graded and flagged sidewalk.

The macadamizing no doubt is well appreciated by the Brookside taxpayers, when, riding over it now, they recall the trials and tribulations of pulling through in wet weather heretofore.

Mr. O'Rourke's work between James street and the Stone Bridge at Morris place will be finished in a few days. This will afford a continuous macadamized roadway on Broad street from the Centre to Mr. Lidenmeyer's property.

#### A Clever Capture.

John Wigel, better known as Duchy Wigel, was arrested by Officers Foster and Smith on Monday morning. John lives with his grandmother in that part of the town known as the Bowery. A short time ago he got on a rampage, beat his grandmother, smashed furniture, broke dishes and performed many other naughty acts, annoying a dutiful grandson. To escape the reward usually meted out for such conduct, John fled to Staten Island. Overcome with a desire to see his grandmother, he ventured back to Bloomfield on Sunday. The officers heard that he was coming and kept sharp (of-fend) for his capture. After searching all about the dim rays of the dawn revealed to the eyes of the officers what seemed to be a man asleep on a hay stack belonging to Mr. Ashley. Closer inspection proved that it was this time long sought for John. The officers quietly put the handcuffs on him and their sharp click in closing awoke him to the realization that he was a prisoner. He was taken before Judge Hall. His kind old grandmother appeared against him. She withdrew her charge and paid all costs. John promised to be good to her, to leave drink alone, on these conditions he was discharged.

#### A Montclair Accident.

Henry Whithaus, of Pompton, a locomotive engineer on the M. & G. L. R. R., was killed in a collision which occurred on that road in Montclair on Saturday the 14th inst. The mail train going East, which left Lake Station at 2 o'clock, collided with a Wild Cat engine. The blame was laid upon Engineer Seewey of the Wild Cat engine, several people having said that he admitted that his watch was ten minutes slow. John Litus, the engineer of the mail train, was severely injured by jumping from his engine. Charles Norton, the "gauge-master" was severely injured, it being found necessary to amputate his right arm. John Nolan the newsboy was killed under the train with his head, and limbs horribly mangled, he was taken to the hospital at Jersey City where he died on Sunday morning. The passengers of the mail train were highly excited, several of them severely cut and bruised.

### Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The few good days have had a tendency to increase the attendance at the rooms. The Outing Club is about to select from its members nine young men who will be known as the Association base ball team. The number of good players needed is almost complete, and it will be formally organized for work at the regular meeting of the club next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The men's meeting last Saturday evening was unusually interesting. Neat topics have been issued for July and August. If you haven't been supplied, ask for one. They contain also an announcement that after September 1st, these men's meetings will be held every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock instead of Saturday evening. The topic assigned for tomorrow night is "Three young men steadfast in principle." Dan 13: 1-18. P. August Schwarz will lead the meeting.

### Glen Ridge.

—List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Glen Ridge, N. J., July 1st, 1887: Adams, Mr. N.; Black, Mr.; King, Hon. J. Floyd; McCall, Miss Kate; McGovern, Mr. J.; M. Lashman, Miss M. A.; Strachline, Mr. John; Ward, Esq., C. L. Any person calling for the above will please ask for Advertiser Letters. Thos. Moritz, Postmaster.

### Church Notes.

—Plumbers are at work putting the gas fittings into St. Paul's church, Watessing.

—Rev. C. DeW. Brower, son of Mr. Samuel A. Brower, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday evening. All are cordially invited.

### Montclair.

—Fifteen miles of water pipe have been laid in Montclair.

—The Orange Crosstown Railroad intends extending its line to Montclair.

—It is rumored that Pennsylvania R. R. agents are ruminating in the vicinity of Montclair.

—The contract for stone roads in Montclair has been awarded to C. E. McDowell, of Bloomfield.

### Watessing.

—On Wednesday the Sunday-school of St. Paul's church held their annual picnic at Eden Wild Grove in Verona.

—Mr. Wm. Cook recently sold the property on Bloomfield avenue, known as the Simmons place, to Rev. J. H. Egbert.

—It is rumored that Mr. Wm. Erb, is going to erect a hotel on Watessing avenue, opposite the D. L. & W. R. R. depot.

—Five cents: the fare charged by the D. L. & W. R. R. Co., between Bloomfield and Watessing, is considered extortionate.

—Mr. John Sherman has recently purchased a plot of ground on the corner of Hillside avenue and Clark street, Glen Ridge.

—The D. L. & W. R. R. Co. have erected an economical style of fence along their line between Willow and Orange streets.

—The treasury of the Active Hose Co. is over \$100 richer, the result of the recent picnic. Visiting firemen from Bellevue, East Newark and East Orange were present. A very enjoyable afternoon and evening was spent.

—Since the Active B. B. Co. adopted the plan of trying to win games by points of argument in preference to points of play, the eagle of victory has scorned to perch upon their brow. They were shamefully beaten on Saturday by a lot of inferior players from Newark. The Active will have to do some extraordinary work to redeem the past. The infant Club, called the Stars are beginning to look upon them with contempt.

—The gateman at the Orange street crossing of the railroad, has the sympathy of the community, in his protests against the endeavors of the Railroad Company to utilize him as a derrier. He is required by his own individual effort to raise all the gates between Arlington avenue and the Bloomfield depot, a distance of over a mile. This veritable Samson frowns with contempt on a weak puny corporation that groans and squirms over raising his small amount of pay. The Company evidently act on a principle of inverse ratio.

### Franklin District.

—A new track for bicycles is being made on Glenwood avenue.

—Several new houses are being erected on Glenwood avenue, near Forest avenue.

—At a meeting of the Health Board, of East Orange, matters of interest to the residents of Franklin District were discussed.

—When the difficulty with the M. & G. L. R. R. Co. about crossing their track at Washington street is settled, the Company may extend a branch in the direction of Bloomfield.

—The number of men engaged in the hating trade who travel between Watessing and Orange, is urged as an inducement for the Orange Crosstown Railroad to extend its track along Dodd street toward Watessing.

### Notice.

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